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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

RE: HILLS OF GOLD WIND FARM APPLICATION NO. SSD 9679

- I am attaching my submission to the above mentioned development application
- I OBJECT to the Hills of Gold Wind Farm proposal ID no. SSD 9679
- I have not made any reportable political donations in the previous 2 years



Signature

OBJECTION

I am objecting to the wind farm development on the ridge of Hanging Rock near Nundle for the following reasons;

My property fronts the Barry rd, which is one of the main routes of access to the proposed wind farm. I am concerned about the issues it can create in terms of access to my own property. Nobody, to my knowledge, on this stretch of road had any consultation from the company proposing this development.

When I first was looking at Nundle as a place to live and raise my family I was struck by the visual beauty of the surrounding landscape, this was one of the things that attracted me along with it being a small community. I fear that the proposed wind farm will impact on these things. I moved here because it is a quiet town.

I am concerned about the possibly of the impact on the quality and availability of the water downstream of the project. I have a bore recently sunk in, and Project like this that requires a lot of water might have impact on local water sources, if the water for the project is taken from ridge. If the water is not sourced locally, then there will be additional traffic impact with all those water truck carting water to the ridge.

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